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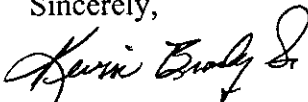
Subject: Extension on EIS for Yucca Mountain

Dear Ms. Dixon,

1 This is a formal letter of request for an extension on the Yucca Mountain Project EIS. During the last Consolidated Tribes, Groups, and Organization in mid-January, we were not able to attend the meeting. This is probably one of the first Yucca Mountain meetings our tribe has missed in awhile. Mr. Fasano has contacted us on the extension period, and due to other pressing matters, we are unable to make the deadline for the comments. Our request to your office is for an extension of a possible 90 days.

With such an important document as the EIS, our tribe does not wish to be left out of the comment process. I hope that you will honor our request.

Sincerely,



Kevin Brady Sr.
Tribal Chairman